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The reply filed on January 31, 2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): applicant lacks an argument to discuss the references applied against the claims, explaining how the claims avoid the references or distinguish from them. See 37 CFR 1.111.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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